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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION OF POLYETHYLENE TEREPHTHALATE FILM, SHEET, AND STRIP (PET FILM) FROM INDIA (A-533-824)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE ENFORCEMENT & CONTROL

RE: PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION
OF POLYETHYLENE TEREPHTHALATE FILM, SHEET, AND STRIP
(PET FILM) FROM INDIA (A-533-824)

- 1. ON DECEMBER 21, 2001, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE WILL PUBLISH IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ITS PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE AND POSTPONEMENT OF THE FINAL DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF PET FILM FROM INDIA.
- 2. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS INVESTIGATION, THE PRODUCTS COVERED ARE ALL GAUGES OF RAW, PRETREATED, OR PRIMED PET FILM, WHETHER Message Date: 01/04/2002 Message Number: 2004201 Page 2 of 5

EXTRUDED OR COEXTRUDED. EXCLUDED ARE METALLIZED FILMS AND OTHER FINISHED FILMS THAT HAVE HAD AT LEAST ONE OF THEIR SURFACES MODIFIED BY THE APPLICATION OF A PERFORMANCE-ENHANCING RESINOUS OR INORGANIC LAYER OF MORE THAN 0.00001 INCHES THICK. IMPORTS OF PET FILM ARE CLASSIFIABLE IN THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES (HTSUS) UNDER ITEM NUMBER 3920.62.00. HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES.

THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THIS PROCEEDING IS DISPOSITIVE.

- 3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES, THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER A-533-824.
- 4. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOUND THAT A DE MINIMIS MARGIN OF 1.38 PERCENT EXISTS WITH RESPECT TO IMPORTS OF PET FILM FROM INDIA PRODUCED/EXPORTED BY POLYPLEX CORPORATION LIMITED (A-533-824-002). ACCORDINGLY, WITH RESPECT TO THIS ANTIDUMPING DUTY

INVESTIGATION, FOR SHIPMENTS OF PET FILM PRODUCED/EXPORTED BY POLYPLEX CORPORATION LIMITED SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION IS NOT REQUIRED AND THERE ARE NO CASH DEPOSIT OR BOND REQUIREMENTS.

5. FOR IMPORTS OF PET FILM FROM INDIA, OTHER THAN
THAT
PRODUCED/EXPORTED BY POLYPLEX CORPORATION LIMITED THE CUSTOMS
SERVICE SHALL SUSPEND LIQUIDATIONS OF SUCH SHIPMENTS ENTERED OR
WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON OR AFTER DECEMBER

21, 2001. EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 21, 2001, CUSTOMS SHALL REQUIRE, FOR SUCH ENTRIES, A CASH DEPOSIT OR THE POSTING OF A BOND EQUAL TO THE MARGINS SHOWN BELOW:

MANUFACTURERS/PRODUCERS CUSTOMS ID NUMBER MARGIN (PERCENTAGE)

ESTER INDUSTRIES LIMITED A-533-824-001 2.96

POLYPLEX CORPORATION LIMITED A-533-824-002 0.00

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ALL OTHERS A-533-824-000 2.96

6. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT, VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY LIAISON, USING THE ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB." THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT TIMOTHY FINN OR ZEV PRIMOR, OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-0065 AND 202-482-4114, RESPECTIVELY.

7. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

PAUL SCHWARTZ

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party

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